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Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of September 28, 2006 for

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